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TO AMEMBASSY ADDIS ABABA

AMEMBASSY CAIRO

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SUBJECT: GOULED VISIT TO IRAQ

1. DJIBOUTI PRESIDENT GOULED COMPLETED AUGUST 24 A FOUR DAY STATE VISIT TO IRAQ WITH EMPHASIS ON POSSIBLE IRAQI ECONOMIC ASSISTANCE. GOULED HAD TWO WORKING MEETINGS WITH PRESIDENT BAKR WHILE DJIBOUTI'S MINISTERS OF TRADE, PUBLIC WORKS, AND FOREIGN AFFAIRS MET SEPARATELY WITH THEIR IRAQI COUNTERPARTS. ON DEPARTURE, PRESIDENT GOULED ANNOUNCED THAT AN IRAQI DELEGATION WILL VISIT DJIBOUTI TO STUDY THE COUNTRY'S REQUIREMENTS. INFORMED SPECULATION HERE IS THAT DJIBOUTI WILL GET IRAQI AID BUT THAT IT MUST BE LINKED TO SPECIFIC

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PROJECTS.

2. ON POLITICAL SIDE, QUESTION OF DJIBOUTI'S MEMBERSHIP IN ARAB LEAGUE RECEIVED ATTENTION. A LOCAL PRESS OF AUGUST 24 REPORTED DJIBOUTI'S AGREEMENT THAT ARABIC WOULD BE ONLY OFFICIAL LANGUAGE FOR MEMBER STATES OF THE ARAB LEAGUE. THIS WILL NOT BE

EASY TEST FOR DJIBOUTI, WHOSE PRESIDENT USED FRENCH-ARABIC INTERPRETER THROUGHOUT COURSE OF HIS VISIT TO IRAQ.

3. COMMENT: IRAQ CLEARLY HOPES TO EXERT SOME INFLUENCE IN RED SEA AREA. WARM WELCOME FOR PRESIDENT GOULED IS OF A PIECE WITH IRAQI SUPPORT OF SOMALIS AND ERITREANS, AS WELL AS AID PROGRAMS TO BOTH YEMENS.
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